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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the Office Communication that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on July 24, 2003 be extended five months, to and including January 26, 2004, since January 24, 2004 falls on a Saturday and January 25, 2004 falls on a Sunday.

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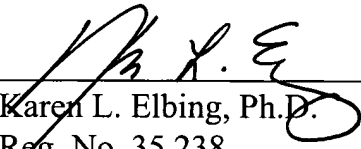
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